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PATRIOTIC ORDERS' CONVENTION

BUSINESS AND PLEASURE OCCUPY ATTENTION OF DELEGATES

Favored by Fine Weather. Visitors Like Grayling's Hospitality.

The Ladies National League and National League of Veteran Sons are holding their 20th national convention in this city. The session opened Wednesday forenoon and closed this afternoon. There are about sixty delegates present from out of the city.

The ladies are being entertained in the homes of the local members while the men are stopping at the local hotels. The officers of the latter organization are being cared for at Shoppenagons Inn.

For several weeks First Vice-President Martha Holliday of Grayling, has been busy completing arrangements for the affair and when the delegates arrived they found everything in readiness for them. Everybody seems to be happy and comfortable.

National President of the Ladies League, Mrs. Olive Knapp of Saginaw, was detained at home by the serious illness of her mother and in her absence Mrs. Lottie Jereau of Bay City is presiding. The other officers present are Mrs. Martha Holliday, 1st vice president, and Mrs. Mabel Ketzbeck, 2nd vice president, both of Grayling; Mrs. Mary McKelton, Detroit; chaplain, Mrs. Emma Dewitt, Midland; picket, Mrs. Mabel S. Gray, Saginaw; secretary, Mrs. Millie Stuck, Detroit; treasurer.

The ladies are holding their sessions in Odd Fellow Temple. The executive board met Tuesday afternoon and worked until 11 p. m. revising the by-laws. Wednesday morning they started right into business and the delegates listened to letters of greeting from National President Mrs. Knapp, and also from the first national president Mrs. Anna E. Ded-

rick of Los Angeles, Calif., who is known among the members as the "mother of the order."

Veteran Sons.

The national presiding officer of the Veteran Sons, Gen. Fred Gill, of Saginaw, also was unable to be present and Maj. Gen. R. J. Gillespie of Flint had to take charge of the convention meetings. The other national officers present were Brig. Gen. E. V. Barber of Grayling; Quartermaster General T. H. Andrews, Flint; and Adjutant Gen. E. B. Metcalf, Saginaw.

Nearly all the officers and delegates of the Veteran Sons are veterans of the Civil war. They spent the forenoon Wednesday getting acquainted and renewing old comradeships. A number visited the Fish Hatchery and called on Grayling friends.

One of the pleasant features was the visit of delegate M. C. Barney of Flint, who visited the school Wednesday morning and gave a forty-five minute address on "Sherman's march to the sea," in which campaign he took part. He told of many incidents of this memorable event that are not recorded in history. It was an inspiring talk and brot out prolonged applause, necessitating further remarks. At the conclusion every pupil went forward and shook hands with the speaker and with several of his comrades who were with him.

Camp Fire.

The camp fire held at the school auditorium Wednesday evening was open to all and almost every seat was occupied, and in many seats there were two. The assembly enjoyed singing a number of patriotic and popular songs; everybody joined in and the result was inspiring.

Edwin S. Chalker acted as chairman of the meeting and announced the "Star Spangled Banner" as the first selection on the official program.

Melvin A. Bates of this city extended to the officers and visiting delegates the official welcome of the city. After a piano trio and encore by Mrs. Holliday, Mrs. Doroth and Miss Charlotte Flagg, response was made by Maj. Gen. R. J. Gillespie.

The speaker stated that the organization had been in 20 national conventions and that they had never been given such a welcome as they had had in Grayling. The conventions held in Detroit and other large cities had been cold and uncheerful while here they had been warmly welcomed and everybody was enjoying the meetings. On behalf of the members of the two leagues he offered a rising vote of thanks. He said the motto of the order was "loyalty, patriotism and protection," and told of the work of the order and of many of its hopes and aims. The stars and stripes which are emblazoned in their League colors, reaches around the world and that now there is no nation but that takes their hats off whenever they see them. He said that he believed our most serious problem today was the immigration problem, and that we must all help to educate the foreigner that America is for Americans and that if they come here they must become one of us, and that the National Legion must bend every effort to teach them Americanism.

M. C. Barney of Flint, a veteran of the Civil war, re-assured the people of Grayling that they appreciated the warmth of the greetings and friendships that are being shown by the people of Grayling. He said that if it could be, he would like to have the convention last a week. He was having a fine time, he said, and that he had talked before the school that morning and had the privilege of shaking hands with about five or six hundred school children and that he considered the privilege worth a thousand dollars. He told in an interesting and inspiring manner some of his experiences while marching with Sherman's army to the sea.

Three little girls—Ada Kidston, Marie Schmidt and Pauline Schoon—over played piano trio of a medley of patriotic airs.

Mrs. Mae Martin of Flint spoke of

the objects of the order, which are primarily to "unite socially and fraternally the wives, sisters and daughters of the organization." Like the former speakers she expressed her pleasure in having selected Grayling for their meeting instead of a larger city. Another matter that she wanted the public to understand was that their organization was not a fraternal benefit insurance order but instead is a "funeral benefit order." She closed her talk by giving the Legion flag salute.

Supt. B. E. Smith of the Grayling schools said that our schools are in hearty accord with the principles of the convention and assured the visitors that the doors of Grayling school would always be open to them.

Mr. Rasmus Hanson of this city, who also is well known throughout the state, told the delegates that the people of Grayling felt honored in having been selected as their convention city this year, and that it was a pleasure to have them with us. He said that he was an adopted son of America and that coming here considered he must become one of our people, which everybody who knows Mr. Hanson will fully agree that he has been a most exemplary citizen.

Mrs. Holliday, Mrs. Doroth and Miss Flagg rendered another of their appreciative piano trios, after which the chairman introduced Mr. John Shook of Saginaw.

He is a member of the American Legion and had just returned from the state convention that was held first of the week at Kalamazoo. He paid a fine and well deserved tribute to our citizens Mr. Rasmus Hanson, who had spoken before him, and congratulated our city upon having such a person living here, and assured his auditors that Mr. Hanson's name would be remembered and spoken just as long as there was an ex-serviceman of Michigan living. Mr. Shook read a brief and highly interesting account of our flag, which he said was only completed in the year 1912, when Arizona threw off America's last territorial mantle and cloaked herself under the sisterhood of states. The article also gave the position of each star in the flag and the state for which it stood. The speaker also urged that more money be shown the flag and that hats should be removed whenever the colors are passing.

Mrs. Millie Stuck of Detroit read a very interesting paper. The motto of the Legion, she said, was "Love, Honor and Charity." Also many good things about their order were told and also of their objects and purposes.

The campfire was closed by the assembly singing America, after which the officers, delegates and members (Continued on fourth page.)

Sept. 17, 1921.

Dean Mr. Smith:

thought perhaps you would like to know how I enjoy my work here. I am getting along fine. This school is far and much better than I expected. We have two very large modern new buildings here, value over a million dollars. The new high school building is the best I ever saw or even heard of. By giving me the course of study, you can imagine the building for high school students only.

The courses are, besides regular academic work, machine shop work, manual training, carpentry, automobile repairing, electrical work, domestic science, cooking and sewing, printing, pottery making, art drawing, jewelry making, smithing, food and food work, also physical training and swimming.

The gym here is a well finished one with artistic decorations, finished off like an auditorium. The balcony work is really wonderful. The swimming pool is very fine and beautiful. It has a gallery for spectators. The room and pool is absolutely white with the floor being inlaid with various colors. Never saw a pool like it. On the whole the building is modern or ahead of times. I am furnished with a large office, private locker room, store room and shower.

The people here are practically all foreigners, mostly Italians, Finnish and Greeks, also Bulgarians, Serbians, Montenegrins and Austrians.

Mining of iron ore is the chief occupation; population is 3,000. The city is wealthy and everything is bought one asks for. My gym is fully equipped with apparatus. The school furnishes absolutely everything free to teachers and the children. Nothing is bought by the children or teachers.

I am sure gratified in securing such a wonderful position in these schools. Give my remembrance to Mrs. Smith and also to the remaining faculty.

Your friend,
John B. Buehler.

RECEPTION FOR REV. AND MRS. G. E. DOTY.

We wish to extend to the general public and many friends of Rev. C. E. Doty and Mrs. Doty, in and out of the church a cordial invitation to meet Mr. and Mrs. Doty Monday evening at a reception given at the M. M. church at 8 p. m. and extend to them a cordial handshake in appreciation of their being among us for another year. They have made a warm place in the hearts of many in the three years they have lived in Grayling, and we hope you will all come and give them the welcoming handshake Monday evening to begin their fourth year here.

Official Board M. M. Church.

SPECIAL.

American Legion meeting Monday night, September 26. Important business. All members urged to attend.

FEW OF THE NEW GAME LAWS.

DUCK SEASON NOW OPEN. UNLAWFUL TO HAVE LOADED FIREARMS IN VEHICLE.

With the advent of the hunting season it seems well that we should point out some of the principal features of the new game laws.

First we must remind our readers that it is unlawful to carry any kind of loaded firearms in any auto or vehicle.

All persons over 17 years must secure license to hunt.

The duck law, season for which is now open—September 16 to December 31st, permits the taking of 25 in one day; 50 in possession at one time, and 50 in one calendar week.

Partridge season opens October 15 to November 20. Five in one day; 10 in possession and 25 in season.

Rabbits, October 15 to December 31. Seven may be taken in one day, 10 may be had at one time and 25 in season.

Snow-shoe, commonly called Jack Rabbits; season October 15 to March 1st, inclusive. Seven in one day, 10 may be had in possession and 25 in season.

Deer (male). Season from November 10th to 30th inclusive. One male deer under hunter's license. Unlawful to have in possession more than 30 days after close of season.

WILL BOOST HOME PAPERS.

Week of November 7-12 Set For National-Wide Endeavor.

"Subscribe to your home town paper."

This is the slogan of a new nationwide movement backed by the National Editorial Association and other agencies.

The movement has back of it far more than a selfish desire on the part of newspapers to secure increased circulation, for it is, in effect, a step toward the perfect unification of America by the strengthening of ties that bind everyone to his native soil.

The campaign is, moreover, an excellent opportunity to boost the home town. The men and women who were born and reared here have some of them been away for many years and many important changes have taken place—changes in which they would be greatly interested. It is more often the case than not that private correspondence overlooks these changes however carefully one might attempt to write "the news" in a letter.

The newspaper, on the other hand, prints all the items of interest, large and small, and is the ideal medium through which to keep in touch with the old home town.

In order to stimulate this movement we are this week offering an extra copy of *The Avalanche* to every subscriber who calls or writes for it. This extra can be sent, with a special subscription blank which we will furnish, to any member of the family who is away from home. Or, if preferred, we will mail a copy free of charge to anyone you designate.

CARD OF THANKS.

To those who sent flowers at the time of the death of our father, James Dowker, we extend our thanks and appreciation.

C. M. Dowker and Family.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our thanks and gratitude to the duPont Company, I. O. F., L. N. L., N. L. V. S., and our neighbors and friends for the many acts of kindness and sympathy shown us in our late bereavement.

Mrs. Samuel Booth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Slingerland, Wesley J. Slingerland.

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NEW PASTOR FOR ST. MARY'S CHURCH.

Fr. Walters Promoted After One Year and a Half Stay in Grayling.

Deep regret was experienced last Sunday morning at St. Mary's church when Fr. E. J. Walters, announced to his parishioners that he was about to leave Grayling. Word came to him the latter part of the week that he had been transferred to Byron Center, Michigan, located about fifteen miles from Grand Rapids. At Byron Center Fr. Walters will have a parochial school in connection with St. Sebastian's church. Altho it is a much larger parish and a better promotion Fr. Walters says that he regrets leaving the people of Grayling, having been here just one year and a half, coming to take the place of Fr. J. J. Riess, who at that time was promoted to St. Mary's, Grand Rapids. The new pastor is Rev. Fr. A. B. Rosler who comes from St. Sebastian's church at Byron Center and who will be here in time for services next Sunday. In order that his parishioners might bid him adieu, a farewell party in honor of Rev. Father Walters was arranged by members of St. Mary's Altar society and the Knights of Columbus, Wednesday evening at the parish.

In the short time he has been here, Fr. Walters has made scores of sincere friends, especially those who have had occasion to really know his kindly patience and sincere sympathy.

A short musical program was rendered by members of the parish. Miss Estelle Prevost of West Branch ably entertained with several humorous readings. Mr. Geo. McPeak, as toastmaster introduced the several numbers and on behalf of St. Mary's parish, Grayling and St. Leo's parish, Frederick, presented Father Walters with a substantial purse. Fr. Walters was the called on to speak and responded by expressing his appreciation of the kindness and good will of the people and his regret at leaving but said he would always have a warm spot in his heart for Grayling.

At the conclusion of the program, refreshments were served in the parlors by the Ladies of the Altar society. Here again the assemblage enjoyed an additional treat as well as a surprise. Mr. M. E. Ryan of Detroit an entertainer of rare ability, kept his listeners convulsed with laughter by his funny stories, Irish mimicry and humor.

Fr. Walters carries to his new post of duty the best wishes of hosts of friends, not only of his church people but also among our townspeople in general. Other than Grayling Fr. Walters also had charge of the missions—St. Leo's at Frederick and St. Michael's at Rosecommon—and was loved and highly esteemed by the people of each and all of them. Fr. Walters will leave Grayling tomorrow for Byron Center.

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Farm Bureau Notes

R. D. BAILEY
County Agricultural Agent

FARM BUREAU NOTES.

HUBAM.

A good many people in Crawford County have small lots of the Annual White Sweet clover called Hubam. It is to be hoped that all will save seed from these small lots, as the seed is very valuable.

This Hubam is a wonderful addition to the resources of the farm; for, it can be sowed in the spring, and make good hay or pasture by mid-summer.

Hubam is doing well wherever we hear of it throughout the state.

Every farmer should welcome the coming of Hubam, as it brings such quick relief in when there is prospect of shortage of hay.

So, let all patiently save the seed they raised this year, and sow it next year.

It will increase with surprising rapidity.

Those who have small plots of it, can carefully cut it, stem by stem, with a sharp knife, in order not to jar off the seed. Lay the stems on blankets or sheets. Let dry thoroughly, and shell by rubbing between the hands.

Seed Corn.

The man who has a lot of well selected well-cured seed corn, is to be envied.

The time to save it is now, from the standing stalk.

After it is selected, it should not stay in piles, crates or bags, as it will start to heat and to lose vitality, in twenty-four hours.

It should be slowly and very thoroughly dried before freezing weather. While drying no two ears should touch.

The best seed corn men all agree on these points.

A man shows his standard of farming by the seed corn he is satisfied with.

No grains without pains!

Green Manure

We are not going to urge sowing vetch and rye after this date; but we do urge farmers to still put in some more rye, to be plowed in next spring when knee high, as green manure.

Those who do it, will never regret it. Too many fields in Crawford County are worked and worked without feeding. A man is simply robbing himself when he does it. Worse than that, he is robbing the next generation who will use that land.

There are few things of which a man should justly feel more ashamed than of running his land.

A man who is known to starve his horses is looked upon with scorn by neighbors.

To starve land is even worse. It is not necessary either.

State Fair.

Crawford County drew \$112.74 premiums at the Detroit State Fair; and \$30 at Saginaw.

Crawford County is full of possibilities if the owners of its land would give it a chance.

Less bragging, and higher ideals, and more real accomplishment will do it.

Let us, then, be up and doing. With a heart for any fate. Still achieving, still pursuing. Learn to labor and to wait."

Just received a large shipment of the wonderful remedy, Tanlac. This is the great medicine you have been hearing so much about. The remedy that's made such a wonderful reputation and which has accomplished such remarkable results all over the United States and Canada. Get your bottle now at Lewis' Drug Store.

Studebaker

LIGHT SIX Now \$1150

Why Studebaker can sell the Light-Six at the new low price

The LIGHT-SIX is built complete in the most modern automobile plant in the world, designed especially for the production of this car.

Studebaker manufactures in this plant its own drop forgings; its own castings, stampings, motors, axles, transmissions; its own steering gears, springs, bodies, tops and other vital parts.

Under these favorable manufac-

turing conditions and because of its enormous production and standardized methods of manufacture, Studebaker is able to make important savings—these savings are reflected in the price of the car to you.

The LIGHT-SIX is a real step forward in automobile engineering. No other light, six-cylinder automobile yet produced has a motor so free from vibration, nor so flexible and powerful.

What you should know about the LIGHT-SIX

Power—40 H. P. in a detachable-head motor of great flexibility, remarkably free from vibration, and with the exclusive Studebaker inclined valve feature.

Economy—18 to 22 miles to the gallon—12,000 to 18,000 miles on tires.

Balance—You could cut the LIGHT-SIX in two parts or four parts and

find that each section would weigh the same. Such perfect balance means steady road holding—there is no sway or creeping.

Comfort—Equal distribution of weight means easy riding and easy handling. The touch of one hand on the steering wheel is sufficient to keep it on the road.

See this car—drive it—test it. You will be won by it. You will understand why it is the Studebaker ideal of what a light, six-cylinder car should be.

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| SPECIAL-SIX Touring Car.....1635 | SPECIAL-SIX 5-Pass. Sedan.....2550 |
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A Man for the Ages

A Story of the Builders of Democracy

By IRVING BACHELLER

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"HONEST ABE"

Synopsis.—Samson and Sarah Traylor, with their two children, Joseph and Betsey, travel by wagon in the summer of 1831 from their home in Vergennes, Vt., to the West, the land of plenty. Their destination is the country of the Sangamon, in Illinois. At Niagara Falls they meet a party of immigrants, among them a youth named John McNeil, who also decides to go to the Sangamon country. All of the party suffer from fever and ague. Sarah's ministrations save the life of a youth, Harry Needles, in the last stages of fever, and he accompanies the Traylor's. They reach New Salem, Illinois, and are welcomed by young "Abe" Lincoln. The Traylor's are introduced to everyone and decide to settle at New Salem.

CHAPTER III.—Continued.

"Welcome! and here's the best seat at the fireside," he said to Samson. "My wife and daughter are away for a visit and for two days I've had the cabin to myself. Look, ye worshipers of fire, and see how fine it is now! The homely cabin is a place of beauty. What a heaven it is when the flames are leaping! Here is Hogarth's line of beauty; nothing perpendicular or horizontal."

He took Abe's hand and went on: "Here, ye lovers of romance, is one of the story-tellers of Ispahan who has in him the wisdom of the wandering tribes. He can tell you a tale that will draw children from their play and old men from the chimney corner. My boy, take a chair next to Mr. Traylor. Mr. Traylor, you stand up as proud and firm as a big pine. I believe you're a Yankee."

"So do I," said Samson. "If you took all the Yankee out of me I'd have an empty skin."

Then Abe began to show the stranger his peculiar art in these words:

"Stephen Nuckles used to say: 'God's grace embraces the Isles of the sea and the uttermost parts of the earth. It takes in the Esquimaux and the Hottentots. Some go so far to say that it takes in the Yankees but I don't go so far.'"

Samson joined in the good-natured laughter that followed.

"If you deal with some Yankees you take your life in your hands," he said. "They can save God or damn you and I guess they have given the devil some of his best ideas. He seems to be getting a lot of Yankee notions lately."

"There was a powerful prejudice in Kentucky against the Yankees," Abe went on. "Down there they used to tell about a Yankee who sold his hogs and was driving them to town. On the way he decided that he had sold them too cheap. He left them with his drover in the road and went on to town and told the buyer that he would need help to bring 'em in."

"How'd that?" the buyer asked.

"Why they got away and go to runnin' through the woods an' fields an' we can't keep up with 'em."

"I don't think I want 'em," says

"He is a very great man," Abe exclaimed.

"Have you learned that last noble flight of his in the reply to Haynes, as you promised?" Kelo asked.

"I have," said Abe, "and the other day when I was tramping back from Bowlin' Green's I came across a drove of cattle and stopped and gave it to them. They all let go of the grass and stood looking."

"Good! Now stand up and let us see how you imitate the great chief of the Whig clan," said Kelo.

The lank and awkward youth rose and began to speak the lines in a high-pitched voice that trembled with excitement. It lowered and steadied and rang out like noble music on a well-played trumpet as the channel of his spirit filled with the mighty current of the orator's passion. Then, indeed, the words fell from his lips like the winter snows.

"They shook off hearts as the wind shakes the branches of a tree," Samson writes in his diary. "The lean, bony body of the boy was transfigured and as I looked at his face in the firelight I thought it was handsome."

"Not a word was spoken for a minute after he sat down. I had got my first look at Lincoln. I had seen his soul. I think it was then I began to realize that a man was being made among us 'more precious than fine gold; even a man more precious than the golden wedge of Ophir.'"

"The Doctor gazed in silence at the boy. Kelo sat with both hands in his pockets and his chin upon his breast looking solemnly into the fire."

"Thank you, Abe," he said in a low voice. "Something unusual has happened and I'm just a little scared."

"Why?" Abe asked.

"Our fear somebody will spit it with another hog story. I'm a little afraid of anything I can say. I would venture this, that the man Webster is a prophet. In his Plymouth address he hears receding into never-returning distance the clank of chains and all the din of slavery. It will come true."

"Do you think so?" Abe asked.

"Surely—there are so many of us who hate it. These Yankees hate it and they and their children are scattering all over the midlands. Their spirit will guide the West. The love of liberty is the salt of their blood and the marrow of their bones. Liberty means freedom for all. Wait until these babies, coming out here by the wagonload, have grown to manhood. Slavery will have to reckon with them."

"I hate it, too," said Abe. "If I live I'm going to lift that thing on the head some day."

"Do you want to be a lawyer?" Kelo asked.

"Yes, but sometimes I think I'd make a better blacksmith," said Abe. "I'm trying to make up my mind what's best for me."

"No, you're trying to decide what is best for your friends and your country and for the reign of law and justice and liberty."

"But I think every man acts from selfish motives," Abe insisted.

Doctor Allen demurred as follows: "The other night you happened to remember that you had overcharged Mrs. Peters for a jug of molasses and after you had closed the store you walked three miles to return the money which belonged to her. Why did you do it?"

"For a selfish motive," said Abe. "I believe honesty is the best policy."

"Then you took that long walk just to advertise your honesty—to induce people to call you 'Honest Abe' as they have begun to do?"

"I wouldn't want to put it that way," said Abe.

"But that's the only way out," the Doctor insisted, "and we know ones would have to call you 'Sordid Abe.'"

"There's a hidden Abe and you haven't got acquainted with him yet," Kelo interposed. "We have all caught a glimpse of him tonight. He's the Abe that loves honor and justice and humanity and their great temple of freedom that is growing up here in the new world. He loves them better than fame or fortune or life itself. I think it must have been that Abe whose voice sounded like a trumpet just now and who sent you off to Mrs. Peters with the money. You haven't the chance to know him that we have. Some day you two will get acquainted."

At this moment there was a loud rap on the door. Mr. Kelo opened it and said: "Hello, Eli! Come in."

A hairy-faced, boy-legged man, bent under a great pack, partly covered with bed tickling, stood in the doorway.

"Hello, Mr. Kelo," the bearded man answered. "The poor wandering Jew has come back ag'in—hey? I think I haf to take de hump off my back before I gets in."

Staggering beneath his load he let it down to the ground.

"Bring in your Trojan horse and mind you do not let out its four and twenty warriors until morning. I'll have some bread and milk for you in a minute. Gentlemen, this is my friend Eli—a wandering pioneer of trade."

"I haf a wonderful line of goods—wonderful wonderful!" said Eli, gesturing with both hands.

"First supper—then open your Trojan horse," said Kelo.

"First I must show my goods," Eli insisted. "an' I'll bet you take dem all—everything vat I have in dot pack an' pay my price an' you tank me an' say 'Eli, vat you have to drink?'"

"I'll bet you four bits I don't," said Kelo.

"You are my friend; I could not

take your money like dot so easy. No! It would not be right. These are Scotch goods, gentlemen—so rare an' beautiful—not like dem in de world."

He began to undo his pack while the little company stood around him.

"Gentlemen, you can see but you cannot buy. Only my friend can have dem goods," he went on glibly as he removed the cover of the pack.

Suddenly there was a lively stir in it. To the amazement of all a beautiful girl threw aside the ticking and leaped out of the large wicker basket it had covered. With a merry laugh she threw her arms around Jack Kelo's neck and kissed him.

The men clapped their hands in noisy merriment.

"That's like him, isn't it?" said the Doctor.

"Exactly!" Abe exclaimed. "I stop at David-Barney's an' dere she took de goods out o' my pack an' fix up dis job lot fer you," said Eli with a laugh.

"A real surprise party," the girl exclaimed.

She was a small-sized girl, nearing sixteen, with red cheeks and hazel eyes and blonde hair that fell in curls upon her shoulders.

"Mr. Traylor, this is my daughter Bina," said Kelo. "She is skilled in the art of producing astonishment."

"She must have heard of that handsome boy at the tavern and got to a hurry to come home," said the Doctor.

"Ann Rutledge says that he is a right purty boy," the girl laughed as she brushed her curls aside.

CHAPTER IV.

Which Presents Other Log-Cabin Folk and the First Steps in the Making of a New Home and Certain Capacities and Incapacities of Abe.

Next morning at daylight two parties went out in the woods to cut timber for the home of the newcomers. In one party were Harry Needles carrying two axes and a well-filled lunch-box; Samson with a saw in his hand and the boy Joe on his back. Abe with a saw and axe and a small jug of root beer and a bag of dried apples.

When they reached the woods Abe cut a pole for the split log and carried him on his shoulder to the creek and said:

"Now you sit down here and keep order in this little frog city. If you hear a frog say anything improper you fetch him a whack. Don't allow any nonsense. We'll make you mayor of Frog City."

The men fell to with axes and saws while Harry flinched the logs and loaded after the mayor. Their huge muscles flung the sharp axes into the timber and gnawed through it with the saw. Many big trees fell before noon time when they stopped for lunch.

While they were eating Abe said: "I reckon we better saw out a few boards this afternoon. Need 'em for the doors. We'll tote a couple of logs up on the side o' that knob put 'em on skids an' whip 'em up into boards with the saw."

Samson took hold of the middle of one of the logs and raised it from the ground.

"I guess we can carry 'em," he said. "Can ye shoulder it?" Abe asked.

"Easy," said Samson as he raised an end of the log, stepped beneath it and resting its weight on his back soon got his shoulder near its center and swung it clear of the ground and walked with it to the knollside where he let it fall with a resounding thump that shook the ground. Abe stopped eating and watched every move in this remarkable performance. The ease with which the big Vermont had so defied the law of gravitation with that unwieldy stick amazed him.

"That thing'll weigh from seven to eight hundred pounds," said he. "I reckon you're the stoutest man in this part o' the state an' I'm quite a man myself. I've lifted a barrel o' whiskey and put my mouth to the bung hole. I never drink it."

"Say," he added as he sat down and began eating a doughnut. "If you ever hit anybody take a sledge hammer or a crowbar. It wouldn't be decent to use your fist."

They hewed a flat surface on opposite sides of the log which Samson had carried and peeled it and raised its lower end on a cross timber. Then they marked it with a chalk line and sliced it into inch boards with a whiplaw saw. Abe standing on top of the log and Samson beneath it. Suddenly the saw stopped. A clear, beautiful voice sang the music of "Sweet Nightingale" into the timbered hollow. It halted the workers and set the woodland ringing. The men stood silent like those hearing a benediction. The singing ceased. Still they listened for half a moment. It was as if a spirit had passed and touched them.

"It's Bina—the little vixen!" said Abe tenderly. "She's an odd child and as pretty as a spotted fawn, and about as wild. She's a kind of a first cousin to the hoboblink."

When they were getting ready to go home that afternoon Joe got into a great hurry to see his mother. It seemed to him that ages had elapsed since he had seen her—a conviction which led to noisy tears.

Abe knelt before him and comforted the boy. Then he wrapped him in his jacket and swung him in the air and started for home with Joe astride his neck.

Samson says in his diary: "His tender play with the little lad gave me another look at the man Lincoln."

"Some one proposed once that we should call that stream the Minne-

haha," said Abe as he walked along. "After this Joe and I are going to call it the Minneboohoo."

The women of the little village had met at a quilting party at ten o'clock with Mrs. Martin Waddell. There Sarah had had a seat at the frame and heard all the gossip of the countryside. The nimble-fingered Ann Rutledge—a daughter of the tavern folk—had sat beside her. Ann was a slender, good-looking girl of seventeen with blue eyes and a rich crown of auburn hair and a fair skin well browned by the sunlight. She was the most dexterous needle worker in New Salem.

John McNeil, whom the Traylor's had met on the road near Niagara Falls and who had shared their camp with them, arrived on the stage that evening. He was dressed in a new

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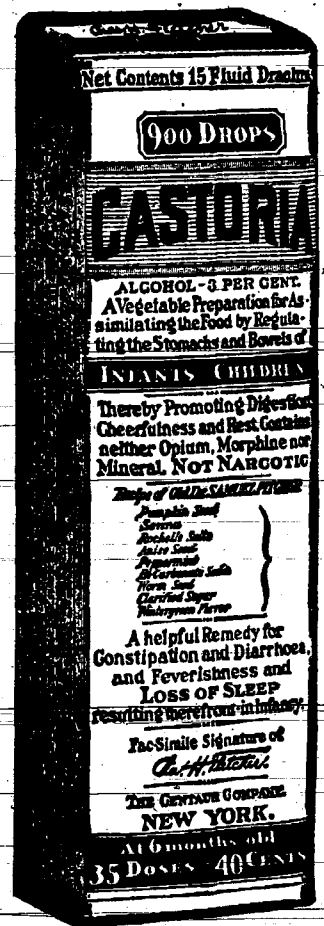
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Home Town Paper Week

It is very rare that the average newspaper boosts its own business, but gives quantities of space in boosting the affairs of others.

Somewhere suggested that it was time for the newspapers of the country to adopt a week in which their own business should be given precedent, and the Avalanche thoroughly endorses the idea.

The date set is the second week in November, from the 7th to the 12th, including that great world event, Armistice Day.

The official title for the week will be "Subscribe for Your Home Town Paper Week."

Thousands of papers will join in this event, and our readers will hear more about it as time goes on.

Ever ready to help in any cause that is in the interests of a better community, better living conditions, and better government, we now ask the readers and advertisers of the Avalanche to turn in and lend a hand during "Subscribe for Your Home Town Paper Week," and boost for us.

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O. P. Schumann, Editor and Proprietor

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THE TEACHER—HER IMPORTANCE.

The value of every school depends primarily upon the teacher. With palatial buildings and magnificent equipment no community has an effective school if the teachers are of indifferent ability. On the other hand, superior, if not the best work is possible in spite of inadequate physical conditions and meager supply of every teaching accessory if only the teacher is the right person.

While the fact has been emphasized throughout that the character of the child the home furnishes determines the product of education more than anything the school itself can do, such is the power of personal influence that pupils daily become what their teachers are. The teacher who is nervous, nagging, stupid, obstinate, or superficial invites discord and reflects his objectionable qualities by mere presence; one who is normal, vigorous, alert, sympathetic, or thorough carries the spirit of energy and co-operation.

When all schoolrooms are supplied with teachers of such wholesome influence, children will go to school and not be sent or sentenced—as is now the case in too many schools—and less potentially excellent human material will be spoiled. Far more significant than any contemplated changes in the curriculum is the supply of excellent teachers, since the teacher is the curriculum. Imagine a lesson taught by the finest teacher of your acquaintance and then picture what the poorest teacher you ever knew would do with the same material; how willingly and profitably pupils attend in the first case! How kind nature must be not to permit utter ruin for those who must endure the second! If we seriously purpose to develop pupils into useful units of society, furnish schools, and compel attendance, what economy can justify selection of any except capable and inspiring teachers?—North American Teacher.

A PRONOUNCED SUCCESS.

The uniform success that has attended the use of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy in the relief and cure of bowel complaints, both for children and adults, has brought it into almost universal use, so that it is practically without a rival and as everyone who has used it knows, it is without an equal.

—Advertisement.

LOCAL NEWS

H. A. Shields and John Glasser was in Grayling Saturday.

John Isenbauer was in Gaylord the latter part of the week on business.

Messrs Henry Trudo and Lawrence Roberts motored to Gaylord Sunday.

Several of the young people attended the dance in Frederic Saturday night.

Mrs. Andy Smith and children left Friday afternoon for their new home in Saginaw.

Clare Cameron returned home Sunday morning from Bay City where he had spent a week.

Mrs. T. Webb of Flint arrived Monday and is spending a week among old friends in Frederic.

Charles Case was called to Traverse City Sunday morning by the death of a brother.

C. H. Peters of the firm Seeman & Peters of Saginaw was in Grayling on business Friday.

The Grayling Dowel and Tie Plug Co. made a shipment of tie plugs to the Panama Canal Monday.

Harry E. Simpson was in Northville the fore part of the week going to attend the funeral of an uncle.

Eugene Murphy, a relief agent for the American Express company is back at his old place in the local office.

The Lloyd Order of Moose will hold its regular meeting next Monday evening, Sept. 26. It is desired that all members be present.

W. E. Green is the new deliveryman at the Railroad Union store taking the place of Irving Hodge, who has moved from Grayling.

F. J. Michelson and family returned to their home in Detroit Saturday after spending the summer at their cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wingard motored to Clare Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gates over Sunday.

The Bobby Gates accompanied them home.

The South Side Stars went to Mio Sunday and defeated the team of that place in a game of base ball 9-4.

Battery for Grayling, Bennett and Cardinal.

Lawrence Cooper played host to a party of boys and girls last Saturday afternoon in honor of his tenth birthday anniversary. Fine refreshments were enjoyed.

James Reynolds, Sr., who has been employed as millwright in a lumber mill in Richmond, Virginia since early in the spring returned home Saturday night to visit his family here.

Gilbert Malafak and grandson Clarence Charron, and niece Mrs. Mose Laurent and son Fred motored to Cheboygan last Sunday to visit relatives returning Monday evening.

Mrs. Charles Fehr was hostess at a five hundred party at her home Friday afternoon. Mrs. M. Brenner and Mrs. George Olson won the prizes.

A six o'clock dinner was served to the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nadau returned Thursday last week from a two weeks vacation spent in Saginaw, Detroit and Marquette. Mr. Nadau is night operator at the Western Union Telegraph office.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Strope and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strope have closed their summer home at Lake Margrethe and left Monday for their homes in Detroit. Miss Ruth Strope, daughter of the former, who had spent the summer here returned home some weeks ago.

Mrs. Peter E. Johnson and daughter Mrs. Arthur Johnson and children spent last week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Sorenson. On their return Saturday to Grand Rapids, where they are residing, they were accompanied by Mrs. Johnson's father, A. C. Wilcox.

Roscommon had its first fatality from infantile paralysis, when Miss Heber Pattie, age twelve years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Pattie of that place, passed away Monday of last week after but a three day illness. Drs. Keyport and Lewis of this city were called in consultation with Dr. Curnalia in the case.

A company has been formed and active work will be begun soon to drill for oil at Roscommon. The company is to be known as the Roscommon Oil company, with a capital of \$500,000. Henry Fidrof is president, Daniel Fidrof, vice-president, Peter Larson, secretary, and Wm. Fidrof treasurer.

Register of Deeds Andrew Hart has been very busy of late recording a mortgage given by the Prudential Securities company of Wilmington, Del., to F. A. Seiberling and Gertrude Seiberling. The mortgage contains a half million words and covered 25 typewritten pages of liber 1 of mortgages. Mr. Hart says that it took him eight days to record the instrument.

Mrs. Lena Pond entertained twelve little girls Saturday afternoon in honor of her daughter Helen's eighth birthday anniversary. The little girls came at 3 o'clock and were entertained with guessing contests, in which Ellen Gothro and Marguitta Land captured prizes. Decorations in pink made a pretty setting for the party, the table being pretty with a white as the centerpiece holding pink ribbon streamers that were stretched to all corners of the table. Light refreshments were enjoyed.

One of the most important events of this year is the 41st Annual Convention of the Michigan Sunday School Association at Kalamazoo, October 26, 27, 28, 1931. All Sunday Schools are entitled to representation. No credentials are required. A special one and a half round trip fare has been granted on Identification Certificate, to be had through the County officers or by writing to Michigan Sunday School Association, Lansing, Michigan. Besides our own splendid Michigan leaders specialists from Colorado, Kansas, Illinois and Ohio have been secured for this occasion.

The new universal accounting system for counties has been installed and completed in Crawford county. Thus from this time on all receipts and accounts will be kept in accordance with the new system. The system is very thorough and at any time it will be possible to find out exactly how the finances of any department of the county government stands, and to fully ascertain just how much money has been paid out in any of the several departments.

Schram's orchestra is getting quite a reputation for dance music and is booking a number of desirable engagements. September 24th, they will play for a party at Frederic; September 27 at Gaylord; September 28th, Cheboygan; September 29 at Mackinaw City; September 30 at Fife Lake and October 1st again at Frederic. There are five members of the organization, as follows: Leo Schram, piano; Ronald Hanson, violin; Harold McNevin, cornet; Lionel McClain, trombone and Gordon Chamberlin, traps.

The home of E. S. Houghton, corner of Cedar and Ionia streets was entered and robbed on the afternoon of Friday, September 18th, supposedly by gypsies, who were in Grayling that afternoon. Mrs. Houghton was out of the city and when Mr. Houghton and his sons left the house that afternoon all doors were securely locked but one back door. The thief must have entered the house between the hours of 1:30 and 4:00 as that was the only time that the door was open.

The robbery was not discovered until that evening when Mr. Houghton went to a clothes closet adjoining an upstairs bedroom to get his best dress suit and found the trousers missing. Soon after he discovered Mrs. Houghton's jewel case lying on the dresser emptied of its contents. The jewel case contained a string of oriental pearls, two bangles, a couple of rings, two bracelets and some earrings, valued at \$175.

Just received a large shipment of the wonderful remedy, Tanol. This is the great medicine you have been hearing so much about. The remedy that made such a wonderful reputation and which has accomplished such remarkable results all over the United States and Canada. Get your bottle now at Lewis' Drug Store.

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Was With Ford Motor Company Ten Years; Has Wide Business Experience.

Charles A. Brownell, a successful Detroit business man and for the past decade publicity and advertising manager of the Ford Motor company, has returned to the automotive industry as vice-president of the Wildman Rubber company of Bay City, according to announcement just made by the company. He will have charge of distribution, sales and advertising.

The Wildman company, which was organized by W. W. Wildman, formerly president and manager of one of the best known tire companies in Akron, O., is building the first unit of its factory, and expects to be in production by the first of the year. It will make a complete line of tires, and the distinctive Wildman self-sealing pneumatic inner tube, which is protected by basic patents, and which is claimed to be absolutely puncture proof.

"I thought that I was through with active business," says Mr. Brownell, "but I have changed my mind."

Patriotic Orders' Convention

(Continued from first page.)

retired to the gymnasium where photographer J. H. Wingard took panoramic pictures of the group.

New Officers—Elected Thursday.

L. N. L.

President—Olive M. Knapp, Saginaw.

1st V. P.—Charlotte Jereau, Bay City.

2nd V. P.—Idella McNeal, Detroit.

Marshall—Cora Shaw, Flint.

Ass't Marshal—Minnie Wooden, Flint.

Sentinel—Clara Brooks, Midland.

Picket—Effie Whipple, Grayling.

Chaplain—Libbie Jarait, Detroit.

Treasurer—Martha Holliday, Grayling.

Executive Board—Blanche Jackson, Saginaw; Mrs. Dewitt, Junior Council, Winifred Slayter, Flint.

Life membership was given to Millie Stuck, Detroit.

N. S. L. V. S.

General—Fred Gill, Saginaw.

Quartermaster General—P. H. Andrews, Flint.

Adjutant General—E. B. Metcalf, Saginaw.

Major Gen.—R. J. Gillespie, Flint.

Brigadier Gen.—John A. Holliday, Grayling.

Chaplain-in-Chief—W. A. Finney, Midland.

Officer of the Day—A. E. Hooper, Bay City.

Officer of the Guard—E. A. Freese, Saginaw.

Picket—A. H. Bradley, Midland.

Sentinel—R. W. Bassett, Flint.

Judge Adv. Gen.—E. A. Jennings, Flint.

Inspector General—M. C. Barney, Saginaw.

Chief of Staff—G. T. Converse, Saginaw.

Surgeon Gen.—W. F. English, Saginaw.

Executive Board—George Raab, Flint; Frank Pratt, Bay City; H. B. White, Detroit; L. A. L. Gilbert, Bay City.

The newly elected officers were installed this afternoon at Temple Theatre after which the conventions will adjourn for one year. Mrs. Millie Stuck acted as installing officer for the ladies and Mr. C. Barney for the men. Mrs. Winifred Slayter acted as Grand Marshal. Mr. John Schuck of Saginaw acted as officer of the day.

Mrs. Lydia Rothfuss of Flint acted as press correspondent and the Avalanche is indebted to her for much of the information we obtained of the convention. When turning in her final report to us today she requested that we express to the people of Grayling the thanks and appreciation of the conventions assembled for the courtesies shown and many acts of friendship and helpfulness.

Much has been said on both sides on this subject and it is hard to decide just which was most honored—the officers, delegates and members of the conventions, by us extending to them the really friendly hand and hospitality, or whether Grayling had the greater honor by the presence of the two fine bodies of patriotic Americans. Anyway there hasn't been a ripple to disturb the tranquility and feeling that has existed everywhere. We know we of Grayling when we say that it has been one grand, big time together.

Because of the long program at the campfire Wednesday evening a couple of addresses were omitted—those of Dr. English who was to speak of co-operation, and Senator Emory Fownd of Saginaw, who was to speak of citizenship. Both these men are splendid orators. Mr. Townsend is known at home as a farmer and attorney at law. He is a cousin of U. S. Senator Charles E. Townsend.

The impromptu dancing party given in the gymnasium after the campfire for the members and a few local citizens, seemed to be much enjoyed by all present.

To fittingly close the convention the members, after adjournment were guests of the officers of the Board of Trade and other citizens and taken for rides about the city and the military reservation, fish hatchery and other places of interest.

At 6:00 p. m. this afternoon the local members of the orders will serve a banquet to the visitors in the Opera house dining room.

Brownell, "and I have declined a number of propositions. But the splendid opportunities for success presented by the Wildman Rubber company have made me eager to become a part of it. First Mr. Wildman—a man of men; a leader among the aggressive up-to-the-minute men of the hour; the energetic hustling secretary; James C. McCabe, with a vision of the demand of tomorrow and the ability to make the vision a reality. Second, the products. The automotive industry, third largest in the world, is here for ages to come and it must have tires. There is the perpetual market. Competition? Yes, but competition rightly measured becomes co-operation. I love the fight for business. We are in for a hard battle, but the victory is sure and will be well worth the struggle—that is another reason I'm going in. The lust for work won't be denied. Mr. Wildman has made good tires. He knows how. I won't say the Wildman Rubber company will make the best tires in the world but I am emphatic in saying that no better tires can or will be made than those carrying the Wildman name. The wonderful and exclusive product of the company, the Wildman self-sealing pneumatic inner tube, thoroughly covered by patents, the only article of its kind in the world. You can't imagine what this means as a business investment—the exclusive market on a pneumatic inner tube that is absolutely proof against punctures. Men, like Monte Cristo, the Wildman Rubber company can say 'the world is mine.' Yes, I'm back in active business because I am going to help produce and sell a utility. I lived in Bay City some years ago. It's a mighty good place and I'm glad to go back!"

"I thought that I was through with active business," says Mr. Brownell, "but I have changed my mind."

—Advertisement.

OLD TRAIN PAL VISITS EDISON

Mr. Clemens Mah Worked With Invention On Trains of State.

Orange, N. J.—Thomas A. Edison recently met again a boyhood friend he had not seen in 57 years. It was John Burke, former chief of police of Mt. Clemens, Mich., now a sergeant on the same force, who used to be a candy "butcher" with Edison on trains running from Detroit to Port Huron. Both worked for Edison's father—60 years ago.

When Burke was ushered into the Edison office in East Orange, he showed his hand out and shouted "Hello, Al!" Then they talked about old times for a few minutes. The "Al" is from Edison's middle name, Alva. Burke explained later, "Al used to lock himself in and experiment when work was over." Burke said, "The rest of the boys played ball. We never could get him out, though."

DOELLE APPOINTED TO BOARD

Succeeds W. H. Wallace, Resigned, On Agricultural Body.

Lansing.—The appointment of John M. Doelle, of Marquette, as a member of the state board of agriculture to succeed William H. Wallace, resigned, has been announced by Governor Grosbeck. Doelle is a member-elect to the state board and will "succeed" himself, January 1.

WANTS

Advertisements will be accepted at this heading at the rate of 5 cents per line. No ad. taken for less than 25 cts. There are about six words to the line. SEND MONEY WITH ORDER.

WANTED—TO BUY A SECOND-hand baby buggy. Will pay about \$10.00 for one. Phone 713.

LOST—PIN. HAS THREE OXADIZED silver roses in rotation and each rose has a garnet setting. Reward if returned to Miss Jennie Ingley at the R. Hanson home.

MILK FOR SALE—INQUIRE OF Fred Belmore, South Side, near school house.

WANTED—SECOND HAND KITCHEN range. If you have one for sale notify Avalanche office.

FOR RENT OR SALE—A HOUSE located near Danabod hall. Easy terms. Will be ready Oct. 1st. Inquire of Tony Nelson.

LOST SOME TIME AGO A BROOCH set with an amethyst, somewhere in the downtown district. If found kindly return same to Mrs. Preston. 9-22-1.

FOR RENT—HOUSE SUITABLE for small family on South Side opposite School house. Inquire of Mrs. Mary Turner. 9-22-1.

MALE HELP WANTED—IDLE? Big business is ready for you. Sell 137 products direct to farmers on credit. If you own team or auto, are under 50, can give bond, we start you. Twenty million use our products. Good territory open. Write J. R. Watkins Co., Dept 115, Winona, Minn. It's your life chance. 9-22-2.

FOR SALE—HARD COAL BURNER. First class condition. For sale cheap. Phone 1204.

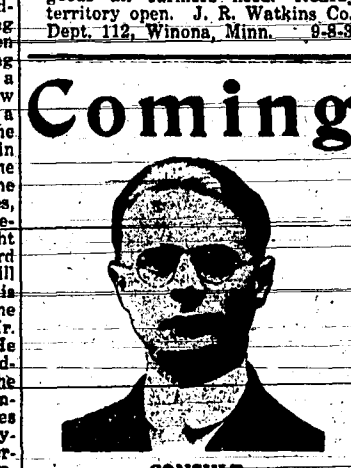
FOR SALE—LARGE IRON SAFE with burglar proof chest. No use for it and will sell cheap. J. Burt Kiely, Roscommon, Mich. 9-15-2.

FOR SALE—A HORSE WEIGHING about 1200 pounds, at reasonable price. Inquire of Scott Wiley, Grayling. 9-8-3.

FOR SALE—1 TEAM GELDINGS, age 9-10; weight 2500 pounds; harness and wagon. Cash, good bankable paper or will exchange for cattle. Chas. S. Barber, Frederic, Mich. 9-8-4.

4500 WATKINS MEN ARE MAKING money selling 175 standard nationally advertised products direct from manufacturer to farmers. Why be idle? Here's your life chance. If you own team or auto, are under 50 and can give bond we start you with big stock of goods all farmers need. Nearby territory open. J. R. Watkins Co., Dept. 112, Winona, Minn. 9-8-5.

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CONSULT

A. S. ALLARD

EYE SIGHT SPECIALIST.

GRAYLING, MICH. at Shoppenagons Inn.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 23, I devote my entire time to Examining eyes and fitting glasses that give Service. Service is my hobby. My equipment is modern and up-to-date.

Remember the Date. WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 23.

We carry—KABO Comfort Top CORSETS

This new idea in corsetry is called the Comfort-Top—designed for women who have suffered discomfort because of the front steel goug-in at the top. Wear one and you'll exclaim "What a relief!"

A fine line of Kabo Corsets and Brassieres just unpacked this week. Call in and see them.

Burson Hose for Women

Silk, ribbed top, all sizes

SATURDAY ONLY

Outing Flannel, all colors, at per yard 20c
Graham Crackers, per lb..... 19c
Milk, Pet and Danish, tall cans..... 13c
Quaker Oat Meal, large package..... 28c
White House Coffee, lb..... 40c
2 1/2 lbs. Gold Band Flour..... \$1.39
Seeded and Seedless Raisins, pkg..... 26c
Corn Flakes, 4 packages for..... 25c
Argo Corn Starch, per package..... 9c
Green Japan Tea, lb..... 40c
Tomatoes, large can..... 17c
Clean Easy Soap, per bar..... 5c

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Our Advertising Service

Means More Sales for You, Mr. Business Man

When you begin advertising in this paper you start on the road to more business. There is no better or cheaper medium for reaching the buyers of this community.

We can also provide Artistic Printing of every description.

The public demands quality service. You get it from the Palmer Insurance agency. O. P. Schumann, Manager.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss. Frank J. Chagler makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Chagler & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Scott's Emulsion sold by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. FRANK J. CHAGLER. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 15th day of December, A. D. 1931. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. Sold by all druggists. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

90% of all cars use Ford, Buick or Dodge Size Batteries

Because of this concentration, which means volume production, our manufacturing costs on these sizes are low, with prices correspondingly low.

However, we do not ask you to buy a Philadelphia Battery on its low price alone. Even more important to you is its reliability, its freedom from annoying little breakdowns, and the unusual fact that failure of insulation is made a basis for adjustment under all Philadelphia guarantees.

The table below shows a number of popular cars using Ford, Buick and Dodge sizes. It shows prices on three types of Philadelphia Batteries for each car. Any type will give you good service and with reasonable care will far outlast its guarantee. Which type you select—twelve, eighteen or twenty-four month guarantee—depends on the same considerations which control your selection of tires.

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| Dodge Franklin | \$7.50 | 3.13 | \$12.50 | 2.34 | \$17.50 | 1.98 |

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J. B. ROSENSTAND

Auto Repair and Electric Service GRAYLING, MICHIGAN

We have established a Delivery Service to all parts of the city as follows

FIRST TRIP

South Side 7:00 a. m. North Side 8:00 a. m.

SECOND TRIP

South Side 9:00 a. m. North Side 10:00 a. m.

No orders taken after 10 a. m. for morning delivery

High Grade
Cigars and
Delicious
Candies



We Can Please Every Taste

The man who is particular about the cigars he smokes is also particular about the candy he gets for his loved ones.

We carry the leading local and the nationally advertised cigars and candies. And we keep them fresh to insure their tastiest flavors.

We can furnish any kind of cigars or candy in large quantities for special occasions at particularly attractive prices.

Whether you spend a dollar, a dime, or merely your time, we're always glad to see you.

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J. M. Lewis
DRUGGIST & BOOKSELLER
The Russell Store

LOCAL NEWS

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, SEPT. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Milnes spent the weekend in Saginaw.

Fr. E. J. Walters has purchased a new Chevrolet roadster.

Gordon Davidson went to Bay City Wednesday to visit relatives.

Mrs. Charles Daugherty of Augrees, Mich., visited Minnie Daugherty Friday of last week.

Miss Dorothy Peterson has returned home from a three-weeks' visit in Detroit, Flint and Bay City.

Mrs. David White returned home Tuesday from Flint, where she has been visiting her children and their families who reside there.

There will be a dance at the Opera House in Frederic Saturday evening with music by Leo Schram's orchestra. Everyone is cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Rose have taken up temporary quarters in the rooms adjoining the Board of Trade rooms and will be in Grayling for the winter.

Mrs. B. A. Cooley took in the Hat shows in Detroit Monday and Tuesday of this week, and this morning left for Wolverine to be gone a couple of days.

Studebaker Agent Harry E. Simpson, accompanied by Edward Gierke, went to South Bend, Ind., last week and returned Friday, driving back two new Studebakers. One the possession of A. F. Gierke and the other Charles Blair.

Miss Donna Lockard spent the week-end at her home in Mancelona.

Bill Wingard has secured employment in Clare and expects to remain there for a time.

Mrs. E. S. Houghton returned home Friday from a week's visit in West Branch and Detroit.

Early risers last Sunday morning report that there were snow flurries that morning at about 5:00.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rasmussen returned the latter part of the week from a few weeks' visit in Monroe.

Jack Strowsky of Detroit was the guest of friends here Monday between trains enroute from Manistee to his home.

Mrs. Rosa Watts returned Wednesday from Saginaw, where she has been visiting relatives and friends for three weeks.

Miss Mabel Braasie left Tuesday night for North Branch, Mich., to spend a two-weeks' vacation among relatives and old friends.

Mrs. A. Kraus returned home Sunday morning from a ten days' visit in Detroit with her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Pollock and family.

Edward Crecque, Sr., and son Edward and Jack Redhead of Lovell's motored to Mackinaw Island Sunday morning for a few days' stay.

We are showing some lovely new creations in hats for fall and winter wear. You are invited to call and look over our line. The Hat Shop.

Niels Anderson, who will have charge of the meat market in connection with the Railroad Union store has moved his family here from Imlay City.

Mrs. A. L. Pond and Mrs. Mary La'fay of Bay City are guests at the home of Mrs. Harry Pond, while attending the L. N. L. convention in this city.

Charles Morrell and family, who have been enjoying an outing at Lake Margrethe, occupying the Fournier cottage, returned Saturday to their home in Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Gallus have returned to their home in Boston, Mass., after having spent the summer, guests at the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Behlke.

The National convention of the American Red Cross will be held in Columbus, O., October 4th to the 7th. It is expected that a delegate from Crawford County Chapter will attend.

J. W. Sorenson accompanied Mrs. Sorenson to Detroit last Saturday where she entered the Pennsylvania Sanitarium for treatment. Mrs. Sorenson has been in failing health for some time.

Mrs. Rose Forbes, of Knightstown Indiana, widow of the late Paul Forbes, and a former old resident, is in the city visiting friends. Mrs. Forbes is a guest at the home of Mrs. Harry Pond at present.

The weekly band concert that usually takes place on Friday evenings will be rendered this evening. Thursday instead to assist in entertaining the members of the L. N. L. N. L. V. S., who are in convention here.

A son, Clarence Robert was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Weaver of Gaylord, on September 7. Mr. Weaver is a son of Mrs. Marshall A. Atkinson and with Mrs. Weaver made their home here during the early part of the summer.

The ladies of the Eastern Star accepted the hospitality of Mrs. Harry Simpson and spent the day on Wednesday with her at her cottage at Lake Margrethe. A potluck dinner and supper were served and a general good time enjoyed.

Messrs. Emil Giegling and Earl Wood of the local American Legion post were in Kalamazoo Monday and Tuesday in attendance at the third annual state convention of that organization. Mr. Wood was chosen as a delegate to be in attendance.

Rasmus Rasmussen and son, Emanuel, accompanied by Lars Rasmussen and Axel Jorgenson left this morning for Detroit. Mr. Lars Rasmussen will leave the party at Flint where he will spend a few days visiting his brother-in-law, John Hanson.

The ex-service men of Roscommon have formed an American Legion post and named it "Tracy-Skocheles" post in honor of two deceased comrades of that county. G. E. Metcalf of Saginaw, sectional welfare officer was instrumental in organizing the post.

Children frequently have defective sight, which makes them slow in school work. Have their eyes examined and glasses fitted by Allard at Shoppensons Inn Wednesday, September 28. Positively no glasses prescribed unless needed.

Adler Jorgenson returned home Monday morning, after having accompanied the John H. Williams family to their home in St. Louis, Mo. Saturday and Sunday he was the guest of his son, Benton Jorgenson and wife in Detroit while enroute home.

Mr. and Mrs. David Kneth caretakers at the Log Cabin Club on the AuSable, with their son Roger, left Tuesday morning to enjoy a motor trip through the Sunny-south and Golden west for the winter. Their route will take them first to Iowa. They will not return to Grayling until Spring.

Miss Mayme Vriken, who spent a fortnight here at Lake Margrethe, the guest of Mrs. George Langwin and daughter Miss Elizabeth of Lapeer, returned yesterday to her home in Bay City. Mrs. Langwin and Miss Elizabeth are at the Williams cottage at the Lake for a several weeks' stay, and while here are also visiting friends.

Mrs. Elvira Underhill and Miss Ingeborg Hanson, entertained a party of twenty young ladies Tuesday evening at the home of the former. Stunts of various sorts were the features of entertainment. At eleven o'clock Mrs. Rasmussen, mother of Mrs. Underhill invited the guests to a service lunch. The hostesses expect to leave Saturday for Ypsilanti, to enter the Clarey Business college.

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Zalman and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Milks returned home Friday from a motor trip to Grand Rapids and other places. Mr. and Mrs. Milks are receiving the congratulations of their friends, having been wed in Holland Tuesday of last week. The young couple will make their home in Grayling. Mr. Milks having accepted the position of meat-cutter in the market of the Railroad store.

Clarence Brown has moved into the house adjoining the Railroad store.

C. M. Morfit went to Bay City Friday night and drove back a new Dodge car.

Tanlac, that wonderful medicine, sold in Grayling by A. M. Lewis, Druggist.

Harry Simpson delivered new Studebaker cars to A. F. Gierke and Charles Blair this week.

The Railroad Co-operative store is installing a refrigerator and will conduct a meat market in connection.

Wort Heath has purchased the Chalker farm in Maple Forest. It contains eighty acres. Consideration \$2,500.

Carl England who has been ill in Bay City for several days has returned and is back on his job at the round house.

John Snogan is back on the job at the round house after a week's absence because of illness. David White took his place while he was away.

County Clerk Frank Sales reports that he has issued already this season up to Tuesday afternoon 125 hunters' licenses, and the season is only six days along.

Elna Mae, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Heruf Sorenson was hostess to a number of her little friends Tuesday afternoon in honor of her fifth birthday anniversary.

Miss Louise Salling left Wednesday for Detroit, to spend the remainder of the week, after which she will go to Ypsilanti to enter the State Normal to take a primary teacher's course.

Mrs. Sidney Graham is a guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Larson. She says that her brother P. W. Hanson is now making his home with her at 55 Winona avenue, Detroit.

O. A. Hilton, a step-son of A. H. Van Doran of Gaylord, has leased the McKay house and intends to open it some time on or before October 1st with a stock of new and second hand furniture.

Jess Robenmoyer returned home from Saginaw Saturday and was accompanied by his wife who had been there all summer caring for her father and family while her mother was visiting relatives in Scotland.

Pre-nuptial announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Francis Trudeau, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Trudeau of this city to Mr. Arthur Capstraw of Detroit, the wedding to take place early in October.

Another new shipment of fall and winter hats are expected Saturday. If we haven't what you want the first time you call, call again, as new shipments of hats are being received.

The Danish people were treated to a lecture by Rev. W. C. Copenaen, Denmark at the Danish Lutheran church Tuesday evening. This is the first minister from the Danish capital that has ever visited Grayling.

Fire broke out in the dwelling of Wort Heath, near the South Side church, last week Friday at about 1:00 a. m. entirely destroying the building and most of the contents. The loss is covered by \$1200 of insurance.

Charles Hewitt of Great Lakes training station arrived home yesterday afternoon for a fifteen day thorough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hewitt. When he leaves Grayling he is scheduled to leave for the West Indies to be gone a couple of years.

Mrs. A. M. Lewis and son Mark and Mrs. Edward W. Behlke and daughter, Helen Jane left Saturday morning on a motor trip to Newberry, N. C. and other places. Mrs. Lewis and Master Mark will visit in Newberry, while Mrs. Behlke and Helen Jane go to Escanaba to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Joseph and son Billy motored to Petoskey Sunday, accompanying Miss Ruth Ryan who has been their guest for a number of weeks, to that place. Miss Ryan teaches in the Petoskey schools. The Josephs remained for a few days to take in the Emmet county fair.

J. E. Fletcher of the Hanson State Military reservation, last Monday left on a motor trip to Michigan, driving a team of mules, which have been at reservation for several years to that place. Mrs. Fletcher accompanied him, and they expected to be on the road about four days. The mules were to be delivered to Capt. Walsworth of St. Johns.

The remains of James Dowker, father of C. M. Dowker, who passed away at Mercy hospital Thursday morning of last week were taken Friday to the former home of the elder Dowker at Twining, Mich., for burial. C. M. Dowker, and sons Arthur and Ernest, and son-in-law John Barnes accompanied the remains. The deceased was 86 years old and came to Grayling two years ago to live with his son. Although he was advanced in years he read a great deal and was ever ready to converse on the current topics of the day. He was the father of eleven children.

P. D. Borchers last week purchased the property on Maple street, owned by Wm. Fischer and will move in soon. Frank Shanahan and family, who occupied the residence have moved into the house on Chestnut street formerly occupied by Carl Sorenson who purchased the property next door. The house occupied by Frank Shanahan was purchased by his mother, Mrs. Mary Shanahan, a short time previous to her death. All houses were owned by William Fischer and are considerable property. Not any of them were built many years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Fischer have disposed of all their interests in Grayling and will reside in Los Angeles, California.

The funeral of Samuel Booth, who met his death in an accidental manner at the du Pont plant Tuesday of last week, was held Friday afternoon. Members of I. O. O. F., L. N. L., and N. L. V. S., of which he was an active member, attended in a body. Rev. Torburn recited a short prayer at the home, and the remains were then borne to the Michelson Memorial church, where Rev. C. B. Lyons of Roscommon, owing to the absence of Rev. Doty, preached the sermon.

William Caplin of Logan, Mich., Mrs. Louis Conarty, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Conarty and Jeffery Conarty, all of Flint came to be in attendance at the funeral. The deceased was born in Missouri, May 7, 1884. He came to Grayling four years ago from Five Lake, and began employment for the du Pont company three years ago. Mrs. Booth who survives the unfortunate man will rent her home and reside with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Shinglerland.

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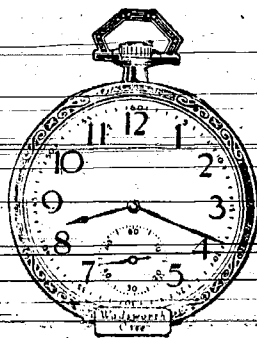
FOR the young fellow returning to school and the older chap who never lost his live school spirit, we offer one strong recommendation: Kuppenheimer Good Clothes—an investment in good appearance.

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FIFTY YEARS ago, perhaps, your grandfather bought a watch. Thick, elaborately ornamented and heavy in the pocket, it represented the highest skill of the watchmaker of that day. Perhaps it has come down to you as an heirloom.

And yet, if you were buying a watch today, would you choose such a model? Would you wear a suit of clothes of the style of a half-century ago?

Watchmaking has progressed. The modern time models, with all the accuracy and sturdiness of their cumbersome predecessors, and with an added beauty of line, have become the ideal timekeepers for the man and woman of today. Such a watch you can display with a full measure of pride.

Keep the old watch for the memories that surround it. But let us show you our new models—pocket watches of unsurpassed elegance, sturdy strap watches for the out-of-doors, dainty wristlets in gold and silver and platinum. We will show you the masterpieces of the finest watchmakers of today, in infinite variety of style.

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New Meat Market to Open Wednesday

We hereby announce that we will open a meat market in connection with our grocery and be ready for business next Wednesday, September 28th.

This department will be in charge of Mr. Niels Anderson of Imlay City. The market will be fully stocked with a complete line consisting of

Fresh and Smoked Meats

When ordering your groceries don't forget to include your Meat order.

Railway Men's Union Co-operative Assn.

Free Delivery Phone 961

Big shipment of Tanlac just received. A. M. Lewis, Druggist, local agents.

E. A. Mason and family are on a motor trip to Bay City where they will spend the week.

There will be a public reception for the teachers at the school gymnasium Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, to which the public is cordially invited and urged to be present. Everybody should come out and welcome our teachers and extend greetings to the former teachers. Come and invite your friends to attend also.

September is proving a wonderful fishing month at Lake Margrethe. Fishermen are reporting some big catches, of both bass and pike. Monday George Schable landed a 14 pound pike. Five and six pound black bass are not uncommon. Recently Eabern Hanson and a companion had a dish pan full of black bass and when they were counted it was found that there were only seven. Such a catch as that should gladden the heart of any piscatorialist. Still fishing with minnows is the way the fish are being caught.

Adolph Hermann, who has been employed at Onaway for the summer returned home Sunday to resume his duties in the mills of the Salling Hanson Co. Mr. Cleve Dameron, Misses Marguerite and Gertrude Dameron and Miss Harriet Hermann, nephew and nieces of Mr. Hermann accompanied him home, the party coming by auto. The young people spent Sunday and Monday guests at the Hermann home.

J. A. Dallaire of Portland, Oregon, has leased the New Russell hotel and will take possession October 12th. He says that he will fix the place up in a good clean condition and have good rooms at a moderate rate, and that also later he will re-arrange the dining room and install a regular restaurant and eating place. Mr. Dallaire is a brother-in-law of Joseph Charnov of Maple Forest. At one time he lived in Grayling, working as cook for the local lumber companies, leaving here 27 years ago having lived here at that time 11 years.

Alonso and George Collen have purchased from their mother, Mrs. J. Collen, the land between the railroad track and the lake, having a lake frontage of 800 feet. They have workmen busy clearing it out and by next camping season say they will have it in fine condition for camping purposes and picnic grounds. They will construct picnic tables and other regulations for making the place convenient for the uses mentioned. They also will build an addition of forty feet to the dancing pavilion and a screened-in veranda about the whole building. A large new ice house and a number of other improvements for the good of this popular resort are contemplated and will make it one of the special attractions of Lake Margrethe.

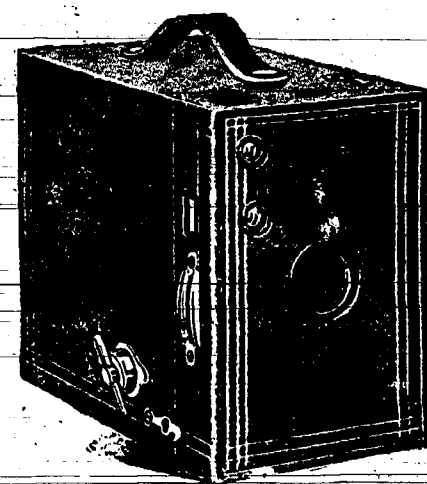
THE KEY THAT UNLOCKS THE DOOR TO LONG LIVING.

The men of eighty-five and ninety years of age are not the rotund, well-fed, but thin, spare men, who live on a slender diet. Be as careful as he will, however, a man past middle age will occasionally eat too much or of some article of food not suited to his constitution, causing indigestion or constipation and will need a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets to move his bowels and invigorate his stomach. When this is done, there is no reason why the average man should not live to a ripe old age. Advertisement.

THE IDEAL PURGATIVE.

As a purgative, Chamberlain's tablets are the exact thing required. Strong enough for the most robust, mild enough for children. They cause an agreeable movement of the bowels without any of that terrible griping. They are easy and pleasant to take and agreeable in effect. Advertisement.

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STATE NEWS

Kalamazoo.—Arthur Myers was fatally injured when the car which he was driving left the road and turned over several times.

Kalamazoo.—Joseph Henry Hoynes, 32 years old, dropped dead of heart failure while he was walking back from Bass Lake with a record catch of fish.

Lansing.—Announcement of the appointment of Ivan Swift of Lansing as deputy collector of internal revenue, with headquarters here, was received from Washington.

Lansing.—The state administrative board authorized the sale of an additional \$10,000,000 worth of 5-1/2 per cent, 20-year soldier bonus bonds. Bids will be opened September 22.

Cedar Springs.—Burglars broke into the hardware store of Turner & Martin here and carried away loot valued at approximately \$350. This robbery was the second in which this store has been a victim within four months.

Pontiac.—Work was begun on the new citadel of the Salvation army which will cost \$30,000. The army conducted a campaign for funds to finance the enterprise and received sufficient pledges to warrant going ahead.

Potoskey.—Edward Sims, veteran Indiana balloonist, who made 231 successful flights in old-fashioned gas bags without sustaining a single injury, shot himself to death in his tent at the new Potoskey free camp site for tourists.

Sault Ste. Marie.—Sale of \$75,000 in bonds of one school district of Sault Ste. Marie was authorized by the board of education to pay the remaining indebtedness resulting from the fire which destroyed the high school building in May, 1920.

Bay City.—Samuel Booth, 38, married, working at the Dupont factory in Grayling was caught in a cable while loading charcoal. An arm and ear were torn off and his body was wound around the shaft killing him. He had just started work in the morning.

Pontiac.—Following a hearing in justice court here, Frank C. Martin, Pontiac osteopath charged with practicing medicine without a license, was bound over to the Circuit Court. Three chiropractors are accused of the same offense and will be tried about the same time.

Kalamazoo.—A. R. Kroh, widely known agricultural expert of Chicago, will conduct a two weeks' speaking campaign in Michigan in November under the auspices of the Michigan State Good Roads association, of which William M. Bryant, of this city, is field secretary.

Greenville.—The Wright Flyer Works have been purchased by the Cameron Motors corporation, New York city, and will be consolidated with the Daugh manufacturing company of Sandusky, Ohio, and the plant will be operated here to manufacture parts for tractors.

Lansing.—The executive committee of the state farm bureau has reiterated their stance that there should be no tariff levied on Canadian lumber imports and the secretary was instructed to notify Michigan senators in congress as well as the members of the senate finance committee.

Kalamazoo.—The Kalamazoo Kiwanis club recently gave its first luncheon without coffee, beefsteak or tobacco, regular features of the Kiwanis luncheons since the formation of the organization. Alarming statistics given at last week's meeting by Dr. John Kellogg, of Battle Creek, induced the committee to omit them.

Lansing.—The state is without a "dimmer" law. Overlooked by members of the legislature, by the executive office, where the measure was signed and by the secretary of state and the state police, whose duty it is to enforce the motor vehicle laws, an act was passed by the 1921 legislature which repealed the law compelling motorists to equip with or use dimmers.

Grand Rapids.—Maj. John G. Emery, national commander of the American Legion, on his return to his home here from Europe, announced he would make no definite decision as to his suggested candidacy for United States Senator until after the national convention of the Legion, in October.

Marquette.—In circuit court Judge Flannigan declared he will refuse citizenship to any alien who has been convicted of violating the prohibition laws, or who is shown to have been a violator by evidence brought before the court even though he has never been convicted. Naturalization of liquor law violators, the judge said, would be delayed for five years which will be a period of probation for them.

Marquette.—Ten happening residents who are petitioners for citizenship papers will put up a fight in Circuit Court here in February to prevent George N. Danielson, of St. Paul, Federal naturalization examiner, from depriving them of final papers on the ground that they claimed exemption from military service in the World War because they were aliens. At this time of court 14 Marquette County men were denied citizenship because they took advantage of their status to escape the draft. Mr. Danielson will oppose all such petitioners.

Three Rivers.—Following an explosion in a grain separator on the farm of Mrs. Louise Sarman, in Fabius township, the barn and contents caught fire, resulting in a loss amounting to \$7,000. The blast is attributed to a gas explosion in the machine.

George.—Danion, who was attending the Newer pipe, was buried 30 feet through the air. During the progress of the fire Danion was overcome with heat and fell. His body was found in the barn, covered with soot, and was lying through a small window.

DECISION DELAYED ON INDICTMENTS

JUDGE FLANNIGAN WILL GIVE HIS OPINION LATER IN PRISON AFFAIR.

ATTORNEY ATTACKS CHARGES

Sherwood Declares Indicted Men Employees, and Not Officials of State Institution.

Marquette.—Circuit Judge R. C. Flannigan will not rule at this time of court on the motion to quash indictments against defendants in the Marquette prison case charging unlawful purchase of state property, he announced late last week.

Judge Flannigan announced that he would not be able to take the motion under advisement before 20 days and gave attorneys that length of time to file briefs.

Arguments for and against the motion, to quash most of the indictments brought by the grand jury and "on the demand by the defendants' council for bills of particulars explaining the charges against them if the indictments stand, have been heard by Judge Flannigan.

Myron J. Sherwood, attorney for the defendants, declared that indictments charging unlawful purchase of state property are irregular and should be quashed because they apply to officers of the prison, whereas, he contended, the persons indicted are not officers, within the meaning of the general prison law, but employees. As employees, he said, they had a right to purchase goods alleged to have been bought unlawfully.

He argued further that offenses charged in the indictments involving purchase of state property by his clients did not charge felonies or misdemeanors within the meaning of the statute, but instead charged breaches of law which are not indictable.

Answering Mr. Sherwood's arguments, Prosecuting Attorney Kennedy referred to state statutes to combat the claim of the defense that the prison men indicted for alleged unlawful purchases were employed and not officers of the institution, and argued that under the prison law they are indictable for offenses alleged in the indictment.

He denied irregularity in the indictments, arguing that the language of the statutes involved had been used in their construction, and declared that the charges set forth are specific enough to satisfy statute requirements.

Mr. Sherwood stressed his demand that if the indictments stand, the defendants must be furnished with bills of particulars specifying in detail as to time and place, the offenses charged and giving descriptions and amounts of property alleged to have been unlawfully purchased.

He contended it would be unjust to ask his clients to prepare a defense against charges so general as those put into the indictments.

An appraisal shows a loss of between \$50,000 and \$300,000, it is said. The delay in getting insurance paid had worked a great detriment to the business, according to the owner.

\$5,000 BAIL SET FOR ARBUCKLE

County Grand Jury Holds Comedian for Manslaughter.

San Francisco.—A county grand jury indictment charging Roscoe Arbuckle with manslaughter in connection with the death of Virginia Rappo after she had attended a party in his room in the St. Francis hotel was returned to Presiding Judge Shortall, and bail has been set at \$5,000 cash or \$10,000 bonds and the case assigned to the court of Superior Judge Harold Loderbach in the Hall of Justice.

The verdict charged Arbuckle with manslaughter and directed all official sources concerned conduct a full and exhaustive investigation.

District Attorney Brady explained that Arbuckle would not be admitted to bail until two murder charges pending against him had been disposed of.

CHANGES IN LEAGUE UNLIKELY

Unanimous Vote of Assembly Necessary for Amendment.

Geneva.—All chances for revising the covenant of the league, making it less onerous to the United States and thereby influencing America to join, were shattered when the judicial committee decided in a secret report to the council that a unanimous vote by assembly was necessary to make changes in the pact.

It is believed that this decision will effectively prevent alterations in the constitution of the league as it is regarded as impossible to get fifty states' members to vote solidly on a subject of this importance.

Officers' War Records Delayed.—Washington.—Another year at least must elapse before the war records of Michigan officers and nurse veterans, necessary in issuing the state bonus, will be in the hands of the state adjutant-general. It was learned at the War Department. Because of drastic curtailment of the clerical forces available in the department, the compiling of enlistment records for the adjutant-general of the states is now proceeding at a very low rate of speed.

Quebec Votes Itself Wet.—Quebec.—The city of Quebec voted itself wet by an overwhelming majority, estimated at 12,000 in a total poll of 25,000. The effect of the voting will be to repeal the existing local option law and place the city under the provincial liquor statute whereby the government vendes intoxicants in its own dispensaries. The provincial statute has been in effect since May 1, but the city of Quebec had gone dry previously under the so-called Scott act, or Dominion local option law.

Items Of Interest in World's News

Hubby's Cake Takes Prize; He'll Do The Baking Now Says Wife.

Topeka, Kan.—The old saying that "woman's place is in the home" was given another figurative twist on the wrist when A. H. Brill of Emporia won the blue ribbon at the fair here for baking the best angel food cake.

Mr. Brill and his wife both entered cakes, and the husband won. "He'll bake the cake for company hereafter," was Mrs. Brill's remark.

SHERIFF HELD IN RUM CHARGE

Delta County Officer With Party That Meets Accident.

Marquette.—Frank O'Dess, sheriff of Delta county, William and Alfred Ladue, and Edward Beauchamp, of Escanaba, were arrested, at Gwynn, charged with possession and transportation of moonshine liquor.

The arrest followed an automobile accident in which Anton Weidman, Escanaba, was killed.

The party was on a fishing trip in two cars, one of which belonged to the sheriff. The second machine went off of the road, overturning, killing Weidman.

Beauchamp says he was taking the moonshine to a friend without the knowledge of the others.

LEAGUE COURT JUDGES NAMED

John Bassett Moore Is U. S. Representative On Body.

Geneva.—John Bassett Moore, of the United States, was elected a judge of the international court of justice by the assembly of the League of Nations on the second ballot in the voting for members of the court.

The bench of the court chosen consists of John Bassett Moore, of the United States; Vincent Robert Finley, of Great Britain; Dr. Yorozo Oda, of Japan; Dr. Andre Weiss, of France; Comendatore Dionisio Anzilotti, of Italy; Dr. Rudy Barbosa, of Brazil; Dr. B. T. O. Loder, of Holland; Dr. Antonio S. de Bustamante, of Cuba; Judge D. Nyholm, of Denmark; Dr. Max Huber, of Switzerland, and Dr. Rafael Altamira Y. Cruesa, of Spain.

SUES TO COLLECT INSURANCE

Ann Arbor Business Woman Alleges \$383,650 Fire Loss.

Ann Arbor.—Sara Goffe, doing business as the Ann Arbor Stamping & Metal Co. through her attorneys, has commenced suit in the Washtenaw circuit court against 51 insurance companies, for a total of \$383,650.

The suits are to recover insurance on a fire which practically destroyed the Goffe plant on December 31, last. None of the companies have so far paid the insurance, though some have manifested a desire to pay, it is said.

An appraisal shows a loss of between \$50,000 and \$300,000, it is said. The delay in getting insurance paid had worked a great detriment to the business, according to the owner.

NEW HEALTH BOARD CREATED

Dr. R. A. McGregor Will Direct New State Bureau.

Lansing.—Creation of a new bureau of the state department of health, to have complete supervision over the medical, dental and sanitary work of state penal and corrective institutions, was authorized by the state administrative board last week.

Dr. R. A. McGregor, prison physician at Jackson, will head the new bureau. He will also have advisory charge of the medical, dental and sanitary work in the state hospitals and other state institutions and will submit periodical reports to the administrative board. Dr. McGregor will receive \$4,000 a year.

MARRIED TO SEVENTH SISTER

Nonagenarian Weds Sister of His Six Former Wives.

Atlantic, Iowa.—Fred Harris, 90 years of age, has just married his seventh wife. All his wives were daughters of Peter Yost, who lived in Milwaukee, Wis., and sailed a freighter on the Great Lakes in the sixties.

Harris began by marrying the oldest daughter of Yost, and has gone right down the line. The last five were widows. Mrs. Gustave Eidemann is the last bride and she is now 78 years old. Her husband, a farmer, perished in the Minnesota forest fires of 1918. She has been married twice before.

May Get Substitute for 2R-2

London.—Reports that the American and British governments may arrange for transfer of one of Great Britain's remaining airships to American ownership to replace the wrecked 2R-2 have received credence in America. Official circles here, where it is stated the American government, prior to contracting for the 2R-2, considered the desirability of obtaining one of the former German Zeppelins for experimental and instructional purposes.

Race Question Up to Court.

Pontiac.—The right of a property owner to restrict in a deed the use of the land in colored persons, is to be tested in the courts. The Michigan Supreme Court is said never to have ruled on the constitutionality of such a restriction. Suit was brought by a number of white residents of the Ferry Farm Addition in Pontiac against Charles Morris, who bought a house on East Wilson avenue. The court issued a temporary injunction restraining Morris from occupying it.

Young Holdup Used Glass Gun.

Muskegon.—Delmore Carpenter, 16 years old, who pilfered jewelry in Circuit Court to larceny, told Judge Vandewerf that he obtained his idea from motion pictures. Carpenter confessed to holding up several Muskegon Heights people before being captured for snatching a purse from a woman. "I held them all up with a glass toy gun that I purchased at a local store," he explained. The officers have the glass weapon some victims said was the largest they had ever seen.

Items Of Interest in World's News

Find Grapes Rather Expensive.

Kalamazoo.—Grapes at \$1 a bush were the price paid in Municipal Court by Ted Julian and Elmer Marvin, Central League base ball players and three others who were arraigned on charges of stealing grapes from the Henry R. Viwayard.

Six Vanes Killed at Coblenz.

Paris.—Six soldiers of the American army of occupation in Germany were killed when a military lorry was struck by the Dortmund-Frankfurt express, said a dispatch from Coblenz, headquarters of the American army of occupation.

Michigan Gets P. J. Judgeship.

Washington.—A former Michigan man is likely to be named chief justice of the supreme court of the Philippine islands by President Harding in a short time. The probable appointee is Judge E. Finley Johnson, now an associate justice of the court.

Dies in Attic; Leave \$100,000.

Chicago.—"French Sal," 84 years old, who died in a dreary little attic, was found to have \$100,000 in stocks hidden in her room. For years she begged from the well-to-do near her home, and dispensed philanthropy to the poor. Her identity is not known.

\$350,000 for Veterans' Schooling.

Washington.—Approximately \$350,000 will be expended by the Knights of Columbus during the new scholastic year on fees, books and maintenance for more than 400 former service men at colleges and universities, Supreme Treasurer Daniel J. Callahan, announced.

Markets Sell for Education.

Chicago.—Syd Carleton, a student in the University of Illinois, offered to sell himself for one year for \$1,200 to anyone who advances him the money to complete his college course this year. He stated he would sell his services for any purpose and would try to do anything that was offered.

Movies Spoiled Ideal Husband.

New York.—Peter Andina, 70, and his wife Beatrice, also 70, married in Lima, Peru, 41 years ago, may part company. Mrs. Andina said Peter made an ideal husband until a year ago, when he started going to the motion picture shows and became too cross to live with. So she asked for a legal separation.

Tied Wife Up at Night.

Dallas, Tex.—A wealthy local physician feared his wife would desert him for another man and hunked the attempt by tying his wife's leg to his arm every night before retiring. This wife appeared at police headquarters to obtain a warrant charging her husband with cruelty. "It's just his insane jealousy," she said.

Veterans Form "Cootie" Order.

Trenton, N. J.—The Military Order of the Cootie of the United States of America has been incorporated here by ex-service men of Hoboken and vicinity. The object of the order, which is to have military rituals, is to foster ties of comradeship formed during the World War among men who saw service on foreign soil.

Divorces Cheaper at Gary.

Gary, Ind.—A general reduction in prices ranging from house rents to costs of a divorce, is in effect in Gary today. The cuts follow closely the big reduction in wages of steel workers. Lower prices were recorded in restaurants, house rents, clothing, etc. Physic an reduced their call charges to \$2, and attorneys announced a cut from \$100 to \$50 for handling divorce cases.

Designer Killed in Collision.

Toronto, Ont.—J. A. Pyke, motor boat designer and builder of Montreal, was killed when the Claire II, in which he was a passenger, was rammed by the Leopard VI, traveling at high speed, after a race on the Exhibition grounds lake. L. A. Chappelle, mechanic of the Claire II, was severely injured. Arthur Claus, of Buffalo, driver of the Leopard VI, was arrested, charged with manslaughter.

Will Bars Liquor and Remarriage.

Chicago.—If either of the two sons of the late Fred H. Atwood, widely known Chicago attorney, use tobacco or alcoholic drinks of any kind during the life of their mother, they will forfeit an inheritance of \$400,000, under the terms of their father's will. If the widow re-marries, she will be deprived of the bequest made to her, according to the will. The sons are Ephraim, Henry Atwood and Ivan J. Atwood, members of a local law firm.

Frauleins Warned Against Marriages.

Berlin.—American officials at Coblenz have issued a written warning to the German civilian population that German girls should refuse proposals of marriage from common soldiers unless the girls are provided with sufficient money to convince the immigration authorities that they will not become public charges. The warning adds that the cost of living is much higher in America than here and that the enlisted soldier's pay is insufficient to support a wife.

Until the Next Day.

Mrs. Naggs.—I have no sympathy for a man who gets intoxicated every night. Naggs—Any man who can do that, my dear, isn't looking for sympathy. —American Legion Weekly.

Excuse It, Please.

Sunday School Teacher.—Now what can I learn from the Book of Numbers? Dear Little Ethel—That they're all busy. —American Legion Weekly.

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ALL KNOW JACK WILLIAMS

Adjutant of North Dakota Legion Department Acquired Popularity While Serving as Newsie.

Everybody in North Dakota, and not a few in bordering states know Jack Williams, a d.j. of the American Legion department, and his resolute voice.

Williams acquired both his popularity and his voice by crying "Extra, extra, all about it" on the streets of Fargo, N. D., for six years.

While newsie, Williams conceived a monopoly on all the city's evening papers which brought all the other boys into his employ and made money for him. Later he branched out and worked in a newspaper press room. He worked up to pressman, a position he was holding when he enlisted in the Third Engineers for the war.

Forced to quit school while in the fourth grade, Williams obtained a good education on the streets and by night study. At twenty-one years old he was president of the Fargo Trades and Labor assembly, a post he resigned to enlist. He went into the army as a private and came out with the same rank. He was the first state adjutant of the American Legion department.

POST SELECTS THIS BEAUTY

Puget Sound Organization Chooses Miss Hazel Jordan as One of Their Prettiest.

A dip in refreshing ocean water every day during the summer and every week, at least, during the winter, makes for the sparkling eyes and exceptional beauty of Miss Hazel Jordan, recently selected by the American Legion of Seattle.

Washed as one of the three most beautiful girls in the great Northwest. Because of the cool, moist air which blows the year around, because they swim, skate, ski, boat and fly and do everything else that a real live American girl is supposed to do, the beauties of the Northwest far surpass those of any other section of the United States, the Legion of Seattle holds. All these advantages obtain the use of rouge, powder, the lipstick and paint, too, they declare.

Miss Jordan lives in Everett, Wash., on the eastern shore of Puget sound. She was the only one of the three girls who would tell, willingly, her age. She is nineteen years.

KILLED BY SHELL FROM WAR

Ammunition Expert Is Almost Blown to Pieces in His Own Home at Indianapolis.

Although he had gone through the World war unscathed and had qualified as an expert in handling artillery ammunition, Frank M. Kinne, Indianapolis, recently was nearly blown to pieces in his home by a three-inch shell he had brought from France. After having served in an exhibition squad which gave demonstrations of how shells were unloaded and exploded, Kinne was unloading his souvenir shell when the fatal accident occurred.

Kinne's little home was wrecked, but his mother and sister, sleeping in an upstairs room, miraculously escaped injury. The local post of the American Legion, to which the soldier had applied for membership following his recent discharge from the regular army, gave him a military burial.

Special Rates to Convention.

Sixteen railroad lines touching 27 states have granted one-cent-mile fare to the third annual convention of the American Legion in Kansas City, Oct. 30, 31, and Nov. 1. Rate reductions have been made by the following railroads: Missouri Pacific; Kansas City Southern; Frisco; Rock Island; Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul; Wabash; Illinois Central; Chicago Great Western; Chicago and North Western; Burlington; Chicago and Alton; Santa Fe; Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis; Missouri and St. Louis; Missouri, Kansas and Texas and the Union Pacific. The one-cent-a-mile fare zone is bounded by Denver, Minneapolis, Buffalo, N. Y., Savannah, Ga., Jacksonville, Fla., Birmingham, Ala., New Orleans and Port Arthur, Tex.

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WELL POSTED LEGION MAN

Commander of Department of New Mexico Known About Professions Represented in Membership.

In his brief career a farmer, trapper, dynamite worker, oil field worker, motion picture operator, a sealer and lawyer, J. W. Chapman, of Gallup, New Mexico, came well qualified to his present post as commander of the state's department of the American Legion. He knows a little about every profession represented in the state's membership.

Covering all of the United States and most of Mexico in his travels, Mr. Chapman settled down to the practice of law in New Mexico just before America entered the World War. When he did, he volunteered as a mechanic and chauffeur and spent two months in an army motor shop. Then he was transferred to a bathhouse school, but before he could get acquainted with the blimps they moved him again, 1414 times to the company's personnel headquarters. He was in an officers' training camp when the armistice came.

Enterprising Legion work, Mr. Chapman was a member of the committee which wrote the non-political constitution into the organization's constitution. He holds down his biography to this: "I am a member of the A. F. & A. M., B. P. O. E., and K. of P. I am an American by birth, training and inclination; an Episcopalian by faith and a prohibitionist by law. I sing, dance, play the piano and am married. What else could I ask?"

TITLES OF SOME NOTABLES

General Douglas Haig.—"Earl and Field Marshal"; Beatty, "Admiral of the Fleet."

Decorations and titles won by distinguished British and Canadian guests at the third annual convention of the American Legion in Kansas City, October 31, November 1 and 2, are testimony of their notable records during the World War.

General Douglas Haig bears the titles of earl and field marshal and has the right to use the following letters, indicating decorations after his name: "K. T. G. C. B., O. M., G. C. V. O., K. C. I. E."

Admiral Beatty's official designation is "Admiral of the Fleet, the Right Honorable George, G. C. B., O. M., G. C. V. O., D. S. O."

The correct manner to address the commander of the Canadian corps in France is "General Sir William Currie, G. C. M. G., K. C. B., K. C. M. G., C. B., Principal of McGill university."

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SWALE WAS A DISHWASHER

Commander of Legion's Washington Department Licked Kitchen Boss, Then Took His Job.

The story of how a flat fight made him a dish washer is told by Thomas W. Swale, commander of the American Legion's department of the state of Washington.

While the down-trodden bookkeeper of a great Northern construction gang, Swale was enlisted into an encounter with the gang's bully, who held the rank of camp cleaner of the puts and pans. The fight became rough, the bookkeeper knocked out the dish washer and the foreman forthwith made up for lack of personnel by assigning Swale to wash the dishes until the beaten kitchen mechanic could return from the hospital.

After gaining an education, Swale, at twenty-three years and 200 pounds, was this "baby of the Washington legislature," serving for two terms. During the war he served in the army intelligence section in charge of I. W. W. investigations in the Pacific Northwest. He is a practicing lawyer in Seattle, Wash.

The Verb Salvage.

The verb "to salvage" did not pass out of existence with the disbanding of the A. E. F. Its synonym, "to manhandle," is still recognized as part of the language of Legionnaires. George R. Anderson post of the American Legion at Ardmore, Okla., recently "salvaged" a library of 2,000 volumes.

As in the army days when anything from a moss hit to a five-ton truck might have been acquired mysteriously with the simple explanation "we managed for it" or the equally expressive "we salvaged it." The post acquired the library. During the war the people of Ardmore had collected a large number of books to be shipped to army camps for use of soldiers. But after the volumes were collected and boxed they were never shipped. They were discovered recently in a storeroom by a member of the Legion post and it did not take long to salvage them.

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TWO AND TWO MAKE FOUR

If all the manufacturers of rubber tires for motor cars in the United States were to operate up to the limit of their facilities twenty-four hours per day, the aggregate production per year would be in the vicinity of 37,000,000 tires.

Not one tire company that we know of could possibly operate full facilities twenty-four hours a day, therefore the aggregate production, under the most favorable circumstances, would not and could not be above 25,000,000 tires per year.

There are now, according to United States statistics, approximately 10,000,000 motor cars in daily use in the United States. At a conservative estimate each of these cars will consume at least two new tires annually, a total of 20,000,000 tires.

The annual and normal production of motor cars in the United States is now about 3,000,000. Each of these cars requires five tires or a total annually of 15,000,000 tires.

This means a demand of 35,000,000 tires annually, not taking into consideration the constant increase in the volume of cars in use and in the annual production of motor cars.

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If the readers of this announcement could only appreciate the mighty significance of this fact, we would be swamped with a rush of people to buy stock, because the profits which follow the possession of such a tremendously valuable and exclusive product can scarcely be imagined. Investigate.

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The Wildman Rubber Co. July 21, 1921.
Bay City, Michigan.

Gentlemen:—The writer was present today at the demonstration given by your company for newspaper representatives and others, in connection with your new inner tube, and was an eye-witness to all the various tests, etc., in fact I assisted in making the same.

It certainly was amazing to see ice picks, nails and other sharp as well as blunt instruments driven a number of times through the casing and tube of a tire filled with compressed air, and to know that after the withdrawal of these various things, there was absolutely no escape of air whatever, through the punctures.

Have had many flat tires during the number of years I have driven a car, and having those experiences in mind, the results of the tests are almost unbelievable. I assume many people would be incredulous unless they were in attendance at a demonstration, and saw what really wonderful results were achieved.

You have a most valuable asset in this much-needed tube, and there is no question in my mind but what it will advertise and sell itself in every community in which it is introduced; it fills a long-felt want and will be a boon to all owners and drivers of automobiles and trucks; undoubtedly in many instances the invention will do away with the necessity of carrying spare tires.

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Very truly,
W. G. MacEDWARD,
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CRAWFORD FARMER BELIEVES IN EFFICIENCY ON FARM.

Joins Hands With Dairy Experts to Prove Value of Good Sires.

When the Better Sire Train passed thru Grayling there was at least one farmer who served notice on the world that he belonged to that class of farmers who are on the watch for good investments and opportunities to increase the efficiency of their business. When Mr. C. H. Howse of Frederic received a good well-bred male calf from the Better Sire Train in exchange for his grade bull he proved that he is an up-to-date farmer with excellent judgment. The value of a good sire has been demonstrated so many times and so forcibly that it is a mystery how anyone can excuse the existence of the scrub bull, and we are glad to note that Mr. Howse has joined hands with our dairy experts and other breeders to prove once more that the money invested in a purebred sire yields big dividends while the scrub-bull is the most expensive piece of equipment on the farm.

"Blood will tell" and when it does we may be sure that Mr. Howse's calf will give a good account of himself. Lakewood King-Colantha Korndyke, as his calf is named, is the son of Maplecrest Korndyke Hengerveld who already has 86 daughters that have made the Advanced Registry, which makes him one of the best bulls in Michigan. Three of his daughters, as three-year-olds, averaged over 18,000 pounds of milk and 825 pounds of butter in a year while another one of his 3-yr-old daughters produced 17,849 pounds of milk in ten months. In siring offspring of that kind, old Maplecrest is only proving the quotation at the beginning of this paragraph because his own dam and granddam averaged over 1240 pounds of butter a year. When one considers that the average production for all the cows in U. S. is 160 pounds of butter and 4,000 pounds of milk, he can appreciate the breeding behind this calf of Mr. Howse. The dam, Colantha Mutual Fayne, is also well-bred, being a direct descendant of Johan Hengerveld Lad and other famous producers.

It is these years of breeding and careful selection for production that makes the purebred more valuable than the scrub and the wise farmer is the one who does what Mr. Howse did—take advantage of this careful selection by expert breeders and use their product to increase the efficiency of their own dairy. The farmers of Crawford County had a wonderful opportunity to secure good purebred stock from the Better Sire Train at a very low cost and we are glad that at least one man took advantage of it.

William Feldhauser of Maple Forest also purchased a purebred sire from this train. This was one that had been taken on at West Branch in exchange for a younger bull. This also is a fine animal and will do much to improve the stock on his farm.

RIVERVIEW NEWS.

Edd Matt is putting in a planer in his mill.

Mrs. Gertrude Young of Five Lake is a guest of Mrs. Fred Atwell.

Little Harriet Stephens is getting along nicely after having broken her arm a few weeks ago.

Mr. Geo. Atwell is a guest of Jake Radner.

Luke and Miss Mildred Gibbons spent Sunday at the home of their parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph called on Mrs. Brumwell Sunday of last week.

Mrs. John Willcott is in Saginaw visiting a sister.

Some of the men here have been getting some fine pike out of Lake Marquette.

Boas of Bay City is spending a few days at Hotel Riverview.

Mrs. A. Peterson came home with Mrs. Brumwell Saturday and stayed over Sunday.

Margrethe Weiss stayed with Miss Doris McLeod while Mr. and Mrs. McLeod were away on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Patter spent a few days in Spencer this week.

FREDERIC BREEZES.

Grandma Barber is visiting her son at West Branch.

Miss Bernice House of Grayling is attending school here this year.

James Tobin and family attended the fair at East Jordan last week.

Charles Craven and family were also in attendance.

Mr. Lowell Fox quietly passed away September 8, after a long lingering illness. A number of people accompanied his remains to Grayling, where services were held at the G. A. R. hall. The remains were taken to Pere Cheney for interment.

Mrs. B. Peter Johnson of Frederic not of Maple Forest, is home from Harper hospital feeling very poorly.

Mrs. Thomas Webb of Flint is visiting friends here.

The second daughter of Will Lewis has been afflicted with throat trouble.

Mrs. Higgins and son Harry have been touring to Bay City and other places.

A GOOD FRIEND.

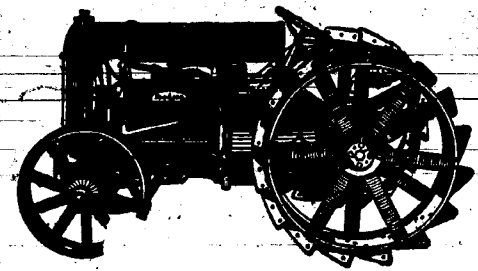
A good friend stands by you when in need. Grayling people tell how Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test. Niels H. Nielsen, carpenter of Park St. endorsed Doan's three years ago and again confirms the story. Could you ask for more convincing testimony?

"My back ached day in and day out and was so stiff I could hardly bend one way or the other," says Mr. Nielsen. "The kidney secretions were too frequent in action, too. The next few times I have had these complaints I have taken a few boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills from Lewis' Drug Store and I have found they do me more good than anything else for they have always cured the attack in short order." (Statement given October 11, 1916.)

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Fordson Tractor Economy



Following is a copy of a letter received from a Fordson owner who purchased a tractor at Scottville, Michigan:

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Tractor work 80 acres: 15 days, 9 hrs.
Cost of fuel: 190 gal. kerosene at 20 5/10.....\$40.40
60 gal. kerosene at 21 4/10..... 12.88
Drained oil twice: 8 gal. motor oil at 1.00..... 8.00
10 gal. motor oil at .68..... 6.82
For starting: 4 gal. gasoline at 28 8/10..... 1.15
Cup grease..... .25
Total.....\$69.50
A fourteen year old boy ran the tractor.

Working with horses for year 1919
50 acres, 15 days, 5 horses, 2 men.
Five horses and two men at \$13.00 per day.....\$195.00

Yours truly,
A. J. SASS,
Scottville, Mich., R. D. No. 3

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NOTICE.

Department of Conservation for the State of Michigan.

Lansing, August 20, 1921.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the following described abandoned tax lands situated in the county of Crawford, recently deeded to the State by the Auditor General under the provisions of Section 127, Act 208 Public Acts of 1893 and acts amendatory thereof, have been withdrawn from homestead entry under the provisions of Act 141, Public Acts of 1901, examined and appraised and will be placed in market by offering them for sale at a Public Auction to be held at the Court House in the City of Grayling, on Saturday, the first day of October, 1921 at one o'clock in the afternoon, at which time they will become subject to purchase in the manner prescribed by law.

Deeds issued on the sale of any of these lands will contain a clause reserving to the State of Michigan all rights in any mineral, coal, oil and gas found lying on, within or under the said lands; and also reserving to the People of the State of Michigan the rights of ingress and egress over and across all of said lands lying along any watercourse or stream.

Department of Conservation.
By JOHN BAIRD,
Director.

Crawford County.
Village of Fredericville.
Block D. Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12. Dilley's Addition.
Block No. 1. Lot No. 3.
Village of Pere Cheney.
Block No. 3. Lots 1 & 3.
Block No. 10. Lot 1, Lot 3.
Block No. 25. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10.
Block No. 27. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7.
Block No. 33. Entire.
Block No. 34. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10.
Block No. 35. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10.
Block No. 36. Entire. 8-25-5.

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1 o'clock p. m. to 5 o'clock p. m.
Any information and first proceeding in connection with this Court will be had at my office at Sorenson Bros.
GEORGE SORENSON
Judge of Probate.

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NOTICE.

State of Michigan,
In the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford. In Chancery.
Kasmus Hanson, Plaintiff,
Albert J. Charron and Baptiste Davis, Defendants.

In pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, in Chancery, made and entered on the twelfth day of April, A. D. 1921, in the above entitled cause, I, the undersigned, a circuit court commissioner of the County of Crawford, will sell at public auction or vendue at the front door of the court house in the Village of Grayling, in said County of Crawford on the eighth day of October, A. D. 1921 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day all those certain lands and premises, situate and being in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan and described as the Southwest quarter of section Twenty-nine in Township twenty-eight North of Range Three West.

Homer L. Fitch,
Circuit Court Commissioner,
Crawford County, Mich.

Spanish Soup

4 tablespoons butter.
4 tablespoons green pepper (chopped).
4 tablespoons red pepper (chopped).
1/2 medium sized onion (chopped).
1/2 pound cooked macaroni.
4 tablespoons flour.
5 pints stock.
1 quart tomatoes (canned or stewed).
1/2 tablespoon salt.
1/2 teaspoon pepper.
1 teaspoon vinegar.
1 bay leaf.

Cook chopped peppers and onion in the butter for 5 minutes; add flour heated stock, and strained tomatoes; strain, season, and add cooked macaroni, and just before serving add the vinegar.

The peppers and onion may be minced by putting them through a meat grinder.

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